

Empowering Potential. Building Careers.

As a non-profit organization, Eckerd Connects is dedicated to reinvesting back into our programs to provide meaningful and transformative workforce development services. We focus on a human-centered approach, where we prioritize each individual's unique journey to success through personalized career development, job training, and support. Our commitment to our clients is further emphasized through the Success Awards program, which grants mini-scholarships to help participants achieve their career and educational goals.



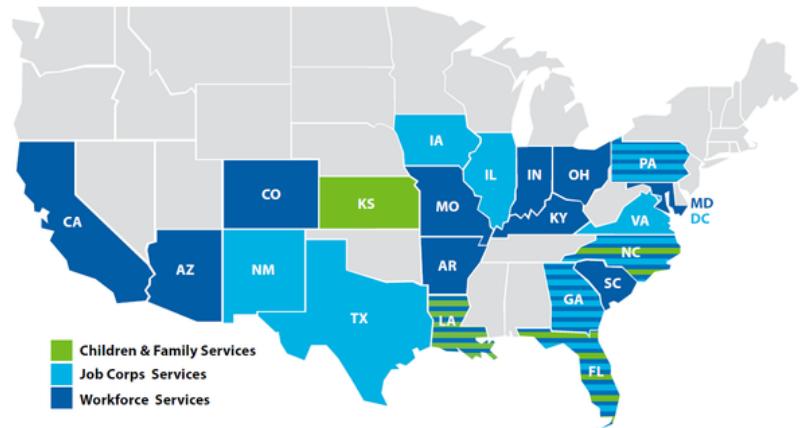
Our Vision & Services

Eckerd Connects is one of the largest non-profit Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) service providers in the U.S., delivering not only workforce development services in 20 states, but also Job Corps, juvenile justice, reentry, foster care and community-based services – totaling 21 states and the District of Columbia. We partner with local workforce development boards to offer comprehensive career pathways and supportive services for youth and adult participants.

“ I sincerely thank Eckerd Connects for all the help they have given me. Getting me interviews, honing my resume, sponsoring certifications, and an internship that became a full-time job at a local company. ~ Ariel

Youth Services (Ages 16-24)

- Soft Skills Training
- GED & High School Diploma Assistance
- Internships & Work Experience
- National Certifications
- Financial Incentives & Mini-Scholarships
- Job Placement Assistance
- Follow-Up & Support Services



Adult & Dislocated Worker Services

- Career & Training Services
- Individual Employment Plans
- Group & Individual Counseling
- On-the-Job Training (OJT)
- Job Readiness & Skills Training
- Business Services Collaboration

BASIC FACTS:



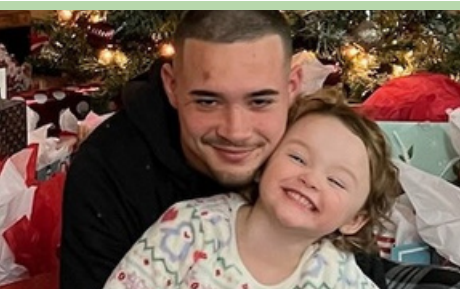
U.S. States Served

20



Workforce Clients Served

6,800



After an accident, I didn't know how to get back on track. Eckerd Connects helped me find a job and work towards my GED, all while supporting my young daughter. The assistance they provided, like helping me get my car on the road, truly changed our lives for the better. ~ Jesus

One-Stop Operations

Eckerd Connects also operates WIOA One-Stop Career Centers, providing oversight of the WIOA service continuum, ensuring access to specialized services in the center or community, and maintaining a network of local business partners.

One-Stop-Operator functions include the following:

- Ensure effective day-to-day operations that deliver a full array of WIOA services;
- Establish and maintain effective relationships with the local partners;
- Ensure effective partner collaboration support and business service lead integration; and
- Assist the local workforce development board compile key performance indicators demonstrating the effectiveness of the regional workforce system.

Why Choose Eckerd Connects?



Non-Profit Commitment

As a national non-profit, we reinvest into enhancing our programs and services, ensuring that we can continue to make a positive impact on the lives of those we serve. Our focus is on building strong communities by providing opportunities that lead to long-term education and career success.



Human Approach

We believe in a human approach to workforce development—understanding that behind every statistic is a person with education, career and financial dreams, challenges, and potential. Our programs are designed to meet individuals where they are, offering career coaching support and resources tailored to their specific needs.



Success Awards Program

Through our Success Awards program, we provide mini-scholarships to help participants overcome financial barriers and achieve their educational and career goals. These awards have made a significant difference in the lives of many, opening doors to new opportunities.



I want to set a positive example for my siblings and make my family proud. Thanks to Eckerd Connects, I completed my high school diploma, gained work experience, and now have a path forward. The support I received was life-changing.

~ Emilie

Join Us in Making a Difference

Whether you're an employer, job seeker, or community partner, Eckerd Connects invites you to join us in empowering individuals to reach their full potential. Together, we can build stronger communities and create pathways to success.

TALK TO US

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